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TAGS: ASEC, CASC, PINT  
SUBJECT: AMCIT DANIEL HEIFITZ DONATES MONEY TO MRS.  
GINZBURG

1. DANIEL HEIFITZ, AMERICAN CITIZEN RECENTLY WON  
4TH PRIZE FOR HIS VIOLIN PLAYING AT THE CHAIKOVSKY  
MUSIC COMPETITION HELD IN MOSCOW, USSR. AS A RESULT  
OF HIS AWARD HE RECEIVED 1000 RUBLES. HEIFITZ  
INDICATED THAT HE DESIRED TO GIVE THIS AMOUNT TO  
SOVIET JEWISH REFUSENIKS AND SUBSEQUENTLY TURNED THE  
MONEY OVER TO MISS ARINA GINZBURG, WIFE OF ALEXANDER  
GINZBURG. AFTER RECEIVING THE 1000 RUBLES,  
MRS. GINZBURG TOLD A NEW YORK TIMES CORRESPONDENT  
OF THE GIFT AND NAMED HEIFITZ AS BENEFACTOR.

2. HEIFITZ IS PRESENTLY TOURING THE SOVIET UNION  
AND NOW FEARS THAT HIS GENEROSITY WILL BE  
INTERPRETED BY SOVIETS AS ATTEMPT BY HIM TO INTERFERE  
IN MATTER WHICH IS NONE OF HIS CONCERN. HE IS  
SCHEDULED TO DEPART THE USSR ON JULY 27. REPORTEDLY  
HEIFITZ HAS SPOKEN WITH NEW YORK TIMES CORRESPONDENT  
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AND ASKED HIM TO DEFER STORY (IF IN FACT IT IS TO  
BE REPORTED) UNTIL AFTER HIS DEPARTURE.

3. HEIFITZ IS IN REGULAR COMMUNICATION WITH EMBASSY  
AND WILL REPORT ANY UNTOWARD INCIDENTS. MATLOCK

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